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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Junichi NAKATA et al.

Appl. No.:

08/977,591

Filed

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For

INFORMATION SIGNAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM AND REMOTE

CONTROL DEVICE FOR THE SAME

Art Unit

2611

Examiner:

TRAN, Hai V.

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f).

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number of claims previously paid for*	(5)	(6) Extra claims	(7)	(8) Rate	(9)	(10) Additional fee
Total Claims	22	-	22	=	0	×	\$50(\$25)	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	-	5	=	0	×	\$200(\$100)	=	\$0.00
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If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space. If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

** If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

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additional claims,

multiple dependent claim(s),

an extension of time. This response is being filed within 1 month(s) following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a 1 month extension of time.

This fee is to be paid by:

an enclosed check in the amount of \$120.00.

charging \$00.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360(\$180) has been previously paid, or is paid herewith.

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Date of Signature: December 27, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 27, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: